

PART OF the more than 200 who attended the Denominational Leadership Meeting last week in the Chapel of Jackson's First Baptist Church.

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State Board To Meet Sept. 26-27

The Mississippi Baptist Convention Board will hold its principal business meeting of the year September 26-27 at the Baptist Building in Jackson, it has been announced by Dr. Chester L. Quarles, Jackson, state Baptist Executive Secretary.

Rev. W. L. Meadows, of Quitman, president, will preside over the meeting scheduled to begin at 2:00 p. m., Monday and adjourn at noon Tuesday.

Other officers include Rev. Charlie Webb, Cleveland, vice-president and Rev. Carey Cox, Brandon, secretary.

76 Men

The Board is composed of 76 men, one from each association in the state. They are nominated by the associations and elected by the Mississippi Baptist Convention in November.

This is one of three regular Board meetings held each year. The other two are a pre-convention meeting held in November and a December meeting, at which time officers for the coming year are elected.

The Executive Committee of the Board is scheduled to meet at ten o'clock on Monday, with Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, Jackson, chairman, presiding. Rev. Clifton Perkins, West Point, is vice-chairman and Rev. Webb is secretary.

Surveys Work

The various committees of the Board will meet Monday (Continued on Page 2)

Mission Goal SBC Unlikely

NASHVILLE — (BP) — The Southern Baptist Convention's Cooperative Program budget will enter its advance phase this year but appears unlikely it will reach the full goal of \$18½ million.

The convention needs \$16,386,900 to meet the operating and capital needs of all the agencies for the current year. Through August, \$11,423,882 has come to the office of Convention Treasurer Porter Routh here.

All funds received through the Cooperative Program above \$16,386,900 will be in the advance section of the budget and are to be divided 75 per cent for foreign missions and 25 per cent for home missions.

Increase Slight

To reach the full \$18½-million—which includes over \$2 million in the advance stage—the convention receipts should have amounted to about twelve and one third million dollars at this time of the year.

So far the increase over 1959 Cooperative Program income has been only 2 per cent. The 1959 receipts for eight (Continued on Page 2)

PAUL NUNNERY ELECTED NEW HEAD BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

Paul N. Nunnery, Hollandale attorney, was elected Thursday as the new superintendent of the Mississippi Baptist Orphanage, it has been announced by Ralph Hester, of Jackson, chairman of the Orphanage's Board of Trustees.

Mr. Nunnery will succeed W. G. Mize, who is retiring after 25 years of service.

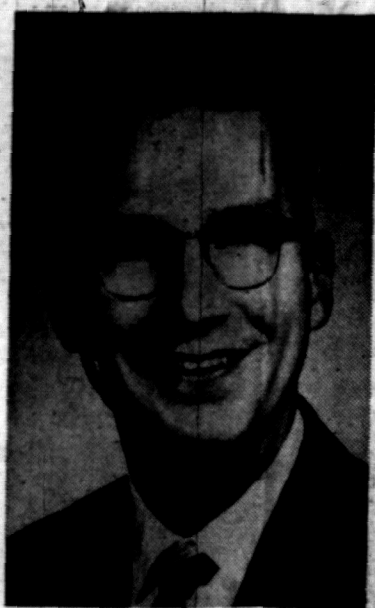
Mr. Nunnery, who will begin his new duties Oct. 15, is a native of Arcola in Washington County, the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Nunnery of Arcola.

M C Graduate

He is a graduate of Arcola High School and holds the B. A. degree from Mississippi College.

He also attended the University of Wisconsin and the University of Mississippi Schools of Law and graduated from the latter in 1948.

Mr. Nunnery has been an active member of the First Baptist Church of Hollandale.



Paul Nunnery

He is a deacon, Sunday School teacher, former church treasurer, chairman of finance committee and formerly superintendent of the Sunday School. In 1959 he was a member of a group of 30 ministers and 7 laymen in a Mississippi Baptist Mission to Spain and Italy.

Went to Colorado

He participated in 1960 with a group of 40 laymen in Mississippi Baptist laymen's crusade to Denver, Colorado.

He is chairman, Washington District, Delta Area Council, Boy Scouts of America.

He is married to the former Dorothy Ingram of Cleveland, Mississippi. They have two children, Barbara Lea, aged 8 years; Paul Nash, Jr., aged 4 years.

Show Gain Of 8.1% For Year

Mississippi Baptist Cooperative Program receipts for the first ten months of this Convention year, ending Aug. 31, totaled \$1,871,349.28, a gain of 8.1 per cent over the \$1,731,185.56 given the same period a year ago.

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, in releasing the figures, pointed out however that a 13.3 per cent increase would be necessary by Oct. 31 in order to reach this Convention year's objective of \$2,500,000.

Total for August

August receipts totaled \$226,017.64, a 74 per cent increase over the \$129,639.90 given in August of last year.

The Cooperative Program is

Gulfshore And Mission Gifts Are Listed

The gifts to Gulfshore Assembly during the recent campaign are listed on page six of this issue.

Next week's issue will carry the mission gifts of all the churches for the first nine months of this Convention year, the denomination's principal (Continued on Page 2)

Denominational Leadership In First Meeting

Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, pastor of Jackson's First Baptist Church, brought the Mississippi Baptist denominational leadership meeting to a close last Friday at noon with an address on "The World for Christ."

Dr. Hudgins, member of the State Convention Board's Executive Committee declared:

"For two and a half years we have been living in the 'Space Age' but for a long time the universe has been more on our minds than the world has been in our hearts."

"In the pressures of a rapidly shrinking universe about us and in our desperate effort to find some kind of a spiritual anchorage that will afford us a sense of security we undoubtedly have lost our sense of 'mission.'"

"Tourists, students, and business people by uncouth thousands have poured from our ports and airfields to every corner of the globe but most of them have not concerned themselves with the spiritual plight of the human soul."

"Christ is the world's great hope; ours is the responsibility of joining other Christians in telling the world about Him."

The unprecedented meeting, approved by the State Convention last year, was attended by the trustees and administrative personnel of all the Boards, agencies institutions and commissions of the Mississippi Baptist Convention."

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board speaking at the afternoon session Thursday declared that the purpose of the meeting, the first in Mississippi Baptist history, was to acquaint all the trustees and administrative personnel of all of the Convention's agencies with all the program of work both in the state and throughout the world.

"This will lend itself to a better balanced and more comprehensive program of missions, education and benevolences," he said.

Sansing Speaks

Rev. L. Gordon Sansing, of Jackson, state Baptist associate Executive Secretary, declared in a major address Thursday evening:

"In the development of our total Baptist program there were first the churches then came a realization of the need for an expanded ministry in the (Continued on Page 2)

Manila English Witness

First a training union, then a church then a Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Society—that was the unusual order of English-Language Emmanuel Baptist Church, in Manila, the Philippines.

The church program began when a small group of English-speaking Baptists in the Manila area became acquainted with one another through their mutual desire for a place to worship and witness in English. After a few social gatherings they organized the Southern Baptist Fellowship of Greater Manila.

Next came the Training Union, then the securing of a meeting place (the group first met at the home of the W. Hugo Parkmans, Southern Baptist missionaries). The First Sunday in the new quarters there were 48 in Training Union.

Formally Organized

On November 1, 1959, the congregation gathered to formally organize Emmanuel Baptist Church. It then called, and ordained, Earl Brown, of the United States armed forces stationed in Manila, as interim pastor—he had felt God's leadership to preach and had been preparing by correspondence study for three years.

The Sunday School and Woman's Missionary Society were soon organized and now the church is investigating the purchase of land on which to erect a permanent building. Challenged by the thousands of English-speaking people in Manila, it seeks to minister to all, regardless of nationality or race.

Error Admitted In Jefferson Story

Admits Error

WASHINGTON —(BP)— A Southern Baptist minister has acknowledged an error in an article he had written about Thomas Jefferson's attitude toward the Roman Catholic clergy. But in doing so he expressed concern about similar errors made by others in seeking to correct him.

In a hard-hitting article in the New York Times, Columnist James Reston used the Baptist minister's mistake as an example of "both the cunning and the weakness of the anti-Catholic campaign against Senator Kennedy."

Explaining the incident, Jess C. Moody, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Owensboro, Ky., said, "Recently I wrote a series of articles under the title, 'Thomas Jefferson, the Bigot', in which I quoted Jefferson more than a dozen times."

"In one of the articles," Moody continued, "I inadvertently credited the founder of the Democratic party with condemning the Catholic Church for its desire to become a national church. I later discovered a complete copy of Mr. Jefferson's letter which revealed that he was not referring to Catholics only, but to all who aspire to become a national church."

The quotation from Jefferson had specific reference to The Episcopal and Congregational clergy of 1800.

Arguing against the establishment of a national church Jefferson said, "They believe that any portion of power confided to me will be exerted in opposition to their schemes. And they believe rightly: For I have sworn upon the altar of God eternal hostility against every form of tyranny over the (Continued on Page 2)

Vice-Presidential Nominees Invited To Speak At OBU

SHAWNEE, Okla. — Henry Cabot Lodge and Lyndon B. Johnson, Republican and Democrat vice presidential nominees, have been invited by student political organizations to address the Oklahoma Baptist University student body this fall.

Shawnee chapters of the federation of Young Republicans and the Oklahoma Young Democrats issued the invitation on Thursday, Aug. 25, in letters to each of the candidates.

Glenn Archer Points To '60 As Year Of Decision

RIDGECREST, N. C. —(RBA) — "1960 may well be a year of decision for church-state separation. If we vote to maintain it we advance the dream of our forefathers; if we vote to change or weaken it we betray our heritage."

Addressing delegates to the Christian Life Conference on Christianity and political action at Ridgecrest Baptist Assembly, Dr. Glenn L. Archer, executive director of Protestant and other Americans United for Separation of Church and State (POAU), Washington, D. C., continued:

"In the coming election we must keep our sights high. Protestants need a new appreciation of the advantages of the church-state separation. They need a new appreciation of their heritage."

"What would be the result if we elected a Roman Catholic president? I think that nearly every Catholic you might

elect might at first run all over the field at the 50 yard line. But when it gets down to the goal line and a push is needed for a Catholic score, it has been my experience after 30 years in (Continued on Page 2)

Testing Program Gets Approval

RIDGECREST, N. C. — (BP) — A testing program for incoming ministerial students at Southern Baptist seminaries has been worked out.

The plan, it is believed, will draw Baptist colleges and seminaries closer together in their course work in biblical studies. It will also aid the student in his post-graduate Bible studies at a seminary, the professors at the colleges and seminaries believe.

An Historic Step

"I consider this testing program an historic step by the colleges and seminaries in correlating their programs of study for ministerial students," H. J. Flanders of Furman University, Greenville, S. C., the outgoing president of the Association of Baptist Professors of Religion, said.

The tests—one to survey the student's knowledge of Old Testament and the other his know-

ledge of New Testament—were prepared by a committee of the association. Both college and seminary professors helped to prepare them.

Tests Approved

The tests were approved by the association in its annual meeting at Ridgecrest Assembly here and will be offered to the seminaries Jan. 1. The seminaries will not be required to administer them, but observers think they will come into use

within two years' time.

Representatives of at least four of the six Southern Baptist seminaries are in the association. Adoption of the tests culminates a three-year study by the association and its committee. The 1960 meeting here, which adopted them, included 28 seminaries professors and 30 professors from Baptist colleges.

By Courses

Students scoring high on the (Continued on Page 2)

1st, Shreveport Plans 3 Million Dollar Plant

First Baptist Church, Shreveport has approved plans and authorized the issuance of bids for the construction of a proposed new \$3,000,000 church plant on a 13½-acre tract on Oakley Drive, Shreveport.

Preliminary plans have been unveiled for the erection of a \$250,000 recreation and activities building at the site.

Dr. James W. Middleton is the pastor.

Billy Graham Hails 'Religious Awakening' In Switzerland

GENEVA, (RNS) — American Evangelist Billy Graham hailed here the "religious awakening" which he said is taking place in Switzerland and which "can have repercussions throughout Europe and the world."

Dr. Graham was in Geneva preparatory to the opening of rallies in Bern, Zurich, Basle and Lausanne at which attendances are expected to total between 25,000 and 50,000 persons. The rallies were scheduled to begin Aug. 24 and continue thru Sept. 4.

The evangelist described Switzerland as "an extremely strategic" country for his "De-

cisions for Christ" crusade because many world organizations have their headquarters there.

He said that in addition to the rallies, there will be meetings with the Swiss clergy which will feature theological and evangelistic discussions led by Dr. Carl F. H. Henry of Washington, D. C., editor of Christianity Today, undenominational fortnightly.

Dr. Graham, who was vacationing in Switzerland prior to the start of the rallies, spent one day with Dr. Karl Barth, internationally renowned Swiss Protestant theologian.

Crusades In Germany

He said that after the Swiss rallies he will conduct a crusade in Germany from Sept. 9 to Oct. 3, with meetings in Essen, Hamburg and Berlin.

Dr. Graham said a special building being erected in Berlin for the rallies will be within sight of the East-West demarcation line and many people from both sectors of the divided city are expected to attend the meetings. They will begin on Sept. 25 and conclude on Oct. 3.

Speaking of the Berlin campaign, Dr. Graham said: "I think this will be the most strategic crusade I have ever conducted." He announced that next May or June he will conduct a crusade in Manchester, England — his first in Britain for six years.

Mission Goal

(Continued from Page 1) months stand at \$11,199,641. The rate of gain for 1960 over 1959 does not match the 8.08 per cent shown for 1959 over 1958 at the eighth month.

August Cooperative Program receipts — not including amounts retained by the state Baptist bodies for their activities — reported here were \$1,416,493. Designated gifts received during the same month totaled \$189,317. (figures also do not include amounts spent locally by churches.)

So far in 1960, designations have come to \$10,917,782, a rise of 11.12 per cent over 1959 at this point. Total SBC receipts for January-August this year stand at \$22,341,664 compared with \$21,024,971 a year ago for a gain of 6.26 per cent.

The Foreign mission board of the convention has received well over half the total SBC funds this year — \$13-1/2 million having been disbursed through August. About one-fifth of the total, \$4,402,905, has gone to home missions.

State Board

(Continued from Page 1) night to survey the work of the Board itself.

A Cooperative Program budget for the coming year will be adopted. The Audit, Budget and Allocations Committee, scheduled to meet September 8 at the Baptist Building, will propose the budget and after its approval by the Board will be voted on by the Convention.

Members of this Committee are Dr. Hudgins, chairman; Rev. D. C. Applegate, Starkville; Dr. Clyde C. Bryan, Hattiesburg; Rev. Cox and Lacey Hodges, of Yazoo City.

The Board is the official agency of the Convention and attends to the general business of the Convention. It employs all personnel, hears reports from all phases of the work and plans the program of work for the coming year.

Show Gain

(Continued from Page 1) channel of mission giving. These funds are divided proportionately among all causes sponsored by the Mississippi and Southern Baptist Conventions. Total mission gifts include both Cooperative Program contributions and special gifts.

GOHALKHANA, India (RNS) — The Council of Baptist Churches of Northeast India elected as their president Miss A. Kenwar. She is the first woman ever to serve in this capacity, and her election was noted as an appreciation of the part women have always taken in the work of the Church in Northeast India.



STUDENTS AT GLORIETA—Most of the Mississippians present for Student Week at Glorieta pose for the photographer.

Revival Results

38th Avenue, Hattiesburg: August 22-28; ten for baptism, 7 additions by letter; Rev. Gordon Sansing, associate executive secretary of State Convention Board, Jackson, evangelist; Harold Blakeney, Hattiesburg, singer; Rev. Van Windham.

Calvary, West Point: August 15-21; Rev. John W. Green, Wilona, evangelist; Rev. Jimmy Metts, pastor and song leader; 34 decisions — 11 rededications, nine additions by letter, two by statement, and 12 for baptism.

Shady Grove, Hazlehurst: August 21-26; Rev. Carl Savell, pastor and evangelist; Rev. Mims Roberts, Mississippi College, song leader; for baptism, 7; additions by letter, 3; life commitments, 25.

Unity (Tippah): August 21-28; Rev. Joe Epling, pastor and evangelist; Lamar Graves, Ripley, song leader; Norma Clemmer, Walnut, pianist; five professions of faith; four rededications; one addition by letter.

Friendship, Aberdeen: August 14-24; 20 decisions, 17 additions to the church — 11 on profession of faith and baptism and six by letter, three rededications; Rev. Norris Garner, pastor and evangelist; J. T. Taylor, First Church, Aberdeen, guest singer.

Niland Chapel (Bolivar): Rev. W. D. Burns, Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky., evangelist; three professions of faith; four rededications.

Highland (Tishomingo): 29 professions of faith; 28 for baptism by letter; Rev. J. A. Blunt, Rosedale, evangelist; E. L. Monroe, song leader; Miss Martha Bickerstaff, pianist; Rev. Marvin Grubbs, pastor.

Testing Pogram

(Continued from Page 1) survey tests would be able to bypass introductory courses in Old Testament and New Testament at the seminary. The high score would indicate their college-acquired knowledge was satisfactory and that they could probably benefit more by using their required hours of course study in more advance biblical studies.

The new testing program would have two other potential benefits. It could provide more direct preparation of the ministerial student at college level. It also could help colleges to work out a better-defined course of study for the ministerial student who plans to continue his education at the seminary, thus reducing overlapping with seminary courses.

Flanders appointed a committee to study the correlation between courses of religious education taught at Baptist colleges and those taught by seminaries.

No Prediction While no prediction could be

Lyon: Rev. M. Guy Reedy, Highland Church, Laurel, evangelist; L. V. Martin, music director at Clarksdale Church, song leader; Rev. Paul Harwood, pastor; one addition on statement; seven professions of faith; seven additions by letter; 54 rededications; 70 home dedications.

New Liberty (Tishomingo): Rev. Reginald Stokes, First Church, Belmont, evangelist; Rev. C. C. Perry, pastor; Rev. Horace M. Credille, associate pastor; eight for baptism; one addition by letter and one on statement; 26 rededications.

Friendship, West (Tallahatchie) July 31 - August 5; six additions — four by letter and two for baptism; two rededications; Rev. J. E. Glen, Providence Church, Cleveland, evangelist; Rev. Frank Childress, pastor.

Ripley, First: August 8-14; (youth revival); Rev. Norman Deaton, Blue Mountain, evangelist; Wayne Neal, Columbus, music director; Hardin Tate, Jr., youth pastor; Rev. Grant Clark, pastor; six rededications. (Seventy-four young people served as youth officers during the Youth Week).



Buddy McElroy

Trinity Minister Of Music Resigns

Buddy McElroy, Minister of Music and Education at Trinity Church, Vicksburg, submitted his resignation on Sunday, August 21, effective September 4.

Mr. McElroy, a native of Meridian, has attended Clarke College and Mississippi College and plans to enroll in New Orleans Seminary this fall.

Under his leadership much progress has been made to advance the music program. The choir loft was extended and new robes were bought. The cantata, "The Seven Last Words of Christ," was presented at Easter by the Adult Choir. A fully graded choir program has been developed and new Baptist Hymnals purchased.

made at this time, such a study may result in survey tests from seminary students planning to educate themselves in this field.

William C. Strickland, professor of New Testament at Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C., heads the course correlation committee, which has members from both the Baptist colleges and seminaries.

They will meet jointly in August, 1961, at Mississippi College (Baptist), Clinton, Miss.

Mississippian Accepts Post In Nashville

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — (BSSB) — Ras. B. Robinson, Jr., of Jones County, Miss., has accepted a position as research assistant with the Baptist Sunday School Board's Research and Statistics Department.

He holds a B. S. degree from Louisiana State University, and is now working toward a Master of Business Administration degree which he is expected to receive in 1961.

He is married to the former Beverly Jane Hartsfield, of Laurel, Miss. They have one daughter.



Rev. Wayne Frederick

Locust Hill Pastor Resigns

Rev. Wayne Frederick, pastor of Locust Hill Church, Pontotoc County, offered his resignation July 17, effective August 28.

Rev. Frederick has served the Locust Hill Church since October, 1959. During his ministry there, there have been 13 additions to the church, 8 of which were professions of faith. Several young people have given their lives in full time service for the Lord.

Rev. Frederick received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Mississippi College in 1959 with a major in Bible and a minor in secondary education.

The Fredericks plan to go to New Orleans, where Rev. Frederick will enroll in the New Orleans Seminary in September.

Revival Dates

Mt. Pleasant (Amite): Sept. 9, 10, 11: weekend Youth Revival with Rev. Ben Smith, Mississippi College freshman, evangelist; C. M. Forman, song leader; Gwen Mullins, pianist; Rev. L. G. McMorris, pastor. Dinner will be served Sept. 11.

Southwest Area Pastors to Meet

The Southwest Area Pastors' Conference is scheduled to meet September 19 at 9:30 a. m. at Siloam Church in Franklin Association.

Names In The News

Rev. and Mrs. Cecal Robertson, Southern Baptist missionaries, of Clinton, have had their home furlough indefinitely postponed due to Mrs. Robertson's illness. As a result Rev. Robertson is available for pulpit supply work or as interim pastor.

W. J. Wimpee, assistant to the president and chaplain at Baylor University, Waco, Tex., has been named adviser to the administration at Hong Kong Baptist College. On a one-year exchange program, James K. Mau, director of religious activities at Hong Kong College, will come to Baylor to teach courses in Chinese philosophy and literature.

John R. Claypool, assistant pastor of First Baptist Church, Decatur, Ga., has been called as pastor of Crescent Hill Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky. He will succeed Rollin S. Burhans, chosen to head the New Baptist College being developed in Louisville.

Rev. Bill Latham is the new assistant pastor at First Church, Greenville. Dr. Perry Claxton is the pastor.

Miss Grace Young is the new Director of Music and Education at First Church, Indianola. Rev. Harry Kellogg is the pastor.

Sherman D. Cherry is the new Minister of Music at North Greenwood Church, Dr. Charles A. Ray, pastor. Mr. Cherry recently completed requirements for the M. S. M. degree at Southwestern Seminary. A native of Oklahoma, he is a graduate of Baylor University.

Rev. Ed Bowles has accepted the pastorate of Bethesda Church in Montgomery Association.

Dr. James W. Middleton, a native of Woodland and former pastor of Clinton Church, who is now pastor of First Church, Shreveport, La., and John L. Koonce, a native of Louisville, have been elected to serve as trustees of Golden Gate Seminary, Mill Valley, Calif.

Rev. Billy Mitchell is the new pastor of Union Church in Montgomery Association.

Professor and Mrs. George A. Carver have returned to Carver School of Missions and Social Work from a six-month teaching tour at Hong Kong Baptist College. On their way back to the United States, the Carvers visited several mission stations in the Orient.

Denominational

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area of Christian education, caring for the homeless and healing humanities' sickness.

"We need to realize that all of our agencies and institutions are a part of our Baptist family and all of us should be in the main stream of promotion and supporting all of our work."

Rev. Sansing then issued a challenge "that every trustee, administrative head, every denominational worker join with us in promotion and support of our life line — the Cooperative Program."

A banquet was held at 5:30 Thursday with Owen Cooper, Yazoo City layman, as the speaker. He declared:

"The hope of Christianity does not lie in its institutions, organizations, nor its cathedrals. The hope of Christianity lies in the consecration of its adherents, particularly its laymen."

"Christianity's greatest need is for laymen who devote themselves to the problems and opportunities of the church with the same persistency they attack par on the golf course, the same enthusiasm they approach their favorite fishing spot, the same fidelity they give to their civic club, the same loyalty they attach to their fraternal organizations, the same determination they give to their daily work, the same fervor with which they support their favorite football team, the same zeal with which they support their favorite political candidate."

"No denomination can rise far above the spiritual level of its laity."

Rev. Bill Taylor has accepted the pastorate of Poplar Springs Church in Montgomery Association.

George Van Egmond recently began his fifth year as Minister of Music and Education at First Church, New Albany.

W. Bernard Barber, Minister of Education, Parkview Church, Greenville, has resigned to accept a similar position in Florida. On September 1, Mr. Barber will assume his duties with First Church, Milton, Florida.

Error Admitted

(Continued from Page 1) mind of man."

In a telephone conversation from Owensboro with the Baptist Press Moody said that he accepted the correction by Mr. Reston "in all good grace," but that he could not understand the great difference that journalists make about their mistakes in comparison to that of a Baptist minister. An error about Moody had crept into the Reston story.

Reston Speaks

In his column about Moody, Reston stated that Moody was in Washington "to discuss some ideas he sent to Mr. Nixon on the subject of religion." Moody denied the charge and Reston made correction in his column the next day. He said that in the transmission of his article the word "not" had been dropped from his text thus changing the meaning of his sentence.

Commenting on Reston's correction Moody said, "I consider it a manifestation of good sportsmanship and ethical journalism. Yet, I cannot help but feel a little strange. When I make a mistake the northern newspapers call it a smear campaign. When Mr. Reston makes a mistake it is merely called a typical journalistic error."

Another error was corrected by Moody. In a Washington Post story on the visit of Moody to Washington it was stated that he had come to confer with Republican National Chairman Thruston B. Morton about a registration scheme that would help the Nixon-Lodge ticket.

"This is totally untrue," Moody said. "I came to Washington in order to give my party some suggestions as to government function which could be put to effective use after the election."

Storage of Grains

Specifically the proposals has to do with the storage of surplus grain throughout the country, a method of registering an accurate expression of public opinion, and a program of public relations with countries receiving aid from the United States.

Deploping the perversion of his intentions by the press, Moody said, "What America needs in this desperate hour is vital creativity, but if every American who has a contribution to make to his country is to be misrepresented and caricatured by the press, surely all vital creativity in this country will cease. We do not need to pull in our creative horns when the hard pioneers of rugged Communism are laboring every hour of day and night to defeat us."

In his expression of regret about his erroneous quotation from Thomas Jefferson, Moody asked, "did you ever slip on a banana peeling with 180 million people looking on?"

First, Macon Prints History Of Church

The History of First Baptist Church, Macon, Mississippi, is off the press and available to the general public.

The book is cloth bound in black with gold printing, contains 160 pages and 20 pictures of modern and olden scenes and was issued as part of the observance by the church of the 125th year of her founding (1835-1960).

The book was edited by T. W. Crigler, Jr., church clerk, and may be ordered from him by mail at \$3.50 each. Make checks payable to the church.

Golden Years Are Often Tarnished

By W. R. Roberts
Annuity Board Representative

We glibly speak of the sun-set years as golden years. This sounds good but facts don't support it. The gold is often tarnished. The tarnish is occasioned by lack of financial support to take care of physical needs.

A man of 65 today can be expected to live at least 13 years. A woman of 65 can expect to live at least 15 1/2 years. One fourth (1/4) of women live to 85 or 7 years longer than men. Since men usually marry women 3 years younger, a man's wife is likely to out live him 10 years.

The above facts from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare should cause us to take stock.

Live Longer Now

Perhaps we should give more thought to lifting the retirement age above the 65 year limit. The Germans were the first to work out a retirement system and that was scores of years ago. At that time 65 might have been correct but medical science has made it possible for people to live much longer. Many people are having to retire whose experience is invaluable to society. This is especially true with preachers.

Less than 40% of our pastors have any retirement plans—either the Annuity Board Plan or any other. Over 60% of our churches are not making any provision for their preachers when they reach the golden

years. What should be golden years are destined to be tarnished golden years.

Senator Young of Ohio wrote an article recently in a men's magazine on "Tarnished Golden Years." He laments the fact that our aged are in the grips of the traditional 65 age limit and the lack of adequate support.

Put Pastor In Plan

The first step that our churches should take is to put their pastors in the Southern Baptist Protection Plan. The plan protects the church, denomination and pastor and family. For only 10% of the pastor's salary up to \$4,000.00, we can prevent the pastor's golden years from becoming tarnished golden years. Most of us couldn't sleep tonight if we knew what some of our former pastors are making out with.

The first step that a pastor should take is to try to provide for himself and family some additional coverage beside that made possible by his denomination and his church. This can be done in several ways. If he has children, he should give serious thought to Social Security. Of course, this is on a self-employed basis and the church is not involved.

Every man with a family needs insurance protection. The most protection for the dollar is all that most pastors can afford. The churches and the pastors—begin now to make the sunset years of our pastors golden years—not tarnished golden years.

PEARLHAVEN SENIOR MEMBERS — Left to right, W. F. Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Reed, Mrs. Mary Bullock, Mrs. W. F. Hoff, Mr. T. A. Herring, Mrs. Eva Smith, Miss Florence Campbell, Miss Elizabeth Harverson, Mrs. Calvin Case, Mrs. Cornelia Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Case, Mrs. Sibyl Byrne, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sandidge, Elmer S. Navels, Pastor Ralph E. Brady.

Pearlhaven Church Observes Old-Fashioned Sunday

The Pearlhaven church, Brookhaven, has in its resident membership 45 senior members over 60 years of age. Included in this group is one of the original charter members and also the sixth person who joined that church.

In honor of these 45 members, the church observed "Old-Fashioned Sunday" on August 21. Special services were held twice on that day to pay tribute to these members whose ages range from 61 to 89 years. A 55-pound birthday cake, 16" wide, 24" long, and 18" high, decorated and inscribed with the words, "In honor of our senior and elder members", was cut and divided among all the members of the morning congregation.

The choir sang "The Old-Fashioned Meeting" and the pastor, Rev. Ralph E. Brady, delivered the message, "We Are Debtors," using Exodus 20:12, Proverbs 23:22, and Proverbs 30:11, and declared that we are indebted to our older people because they have built our churches, preserved our country's faith in God, taught us by precept and example about the Lord Jesus, fought the good fight of faith, waged preserved our freedoms, and preserved our freedoms, and sacrificed much on our behalf." In summing up the message the pastor stated, "Much more to be desired than a high school diploma is that quality of youth that shows proper respect for parents, old people, and especially women".

In the evening service the church was lighted with kero-

sene lamps and many of the old, old songs were used: and the old-fashioned gospel was brought from Romans 10: 1-15. Shown in the picture are members of the group who were able to attend the service.

Wicker Accepts Church In Louisiana

Rev. C. R. Wicker has resigned the pastorate of the Jayess Church in Lawrence County to accept the pastorate of the Bayou Plaquemine Church, Plaquemine, Louisiana (Route 2, Box 158).

He has formerly been pastor at Ethel, Louisiana and at Bogue Chitto Church and other churches in Mississippi.



FIRST CHURCH, LOUISVILLE, heard their new \$26,000 pipe organ for the first time Sunday, July 17, when Mrs. Helen Midkiff of Nashville, Tennessee, presented an organ concert. This 17 1/2 rank instrument was purchased from the Wicks Organ Company, Highland, Illinois. The pipes range in size from a tiny 1/2 inch (speaking length) pipe to the giant 16-footer. The Louisville organ boasts a total of 1,987 pipes, with 256 more in prospect when the planned 4 1/2 more ranks are added. Church Organist, Mrs. J. R. McLelland, has been in New Orleans for specialized training in pipe organ, studying under Mr. Rienz Barkley, organist of First Baptist Church, New Orleans. Pictured above is Mr. J. T. Smith, Minister of Music, Mrs. J. R. McLelland and Rev. Vernon May, pastor.

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TRAINING PLANNING MEETINGS

As a Pilot Program for the Southern Baptist Convention, the Sunday School, Training Union and Music Departments of Mississippi are cooperating in a series of Training - Planning Meetings for the associational officers this fall. This is a wonderful opportunity for us. It is a big job.

A team of three representatives, one for Sunday School, one for Training Union and one for music, will meet with the associational officers of the three organizations for the purpose of helping the officers to become better acquainted with their duties and to plan for the 1960-61 program of work.

New associational officers should be selected by a nominating committee prior to these meetings where possible. Otherwise the present associational officers are urged to attend. Dates are September 12, 13, 15 and 16 at 7:00 p. m. Check with your associational Training Union Director for the meeting place in your area.

SHOULD A CATHOLIC BE ELECTED PRESIDENT?
Dr. S. E. Tuill, former Mississippian, now living in Melbourne, Fla., has written a new tract "Should a Catholic Be Elected President?" Copies may be ordered from Friends of the First Amendment, Ed. Dorsett, President, Melbourne, Fla. Prices are 5 for 50c or 12 for \$1.00.

Pelahatchie GA's Presented In Special Service

From the prelude to the reception the Girls' Auxiliary Presentation Service received the studied attention of the members of the Pelahatchie Church on Wednesday evening, August 31.

Using the theme, "Jewels for His Kingdom," and amidst a setting of beautiful simulated jewels and fine lighting, Mrs. James Franklin, GA Leader, led in the service with Mrs. Caesar Ross, WMU President, presenting the charges and the awards. Those presented were: Maidens, Barbara Ross, Way Daniel, Linda Ragan, Sandra Till, Anna Mae Johnson, Evelyn Shivers; Ladies-in-Waiting, Ruby McMillan, Kay Mashburn, Sylvia Huff, and Princess, Susan Ross.

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The graduation ceremony

will be held in First Baptist Church, New Orleans, with Dr. T. Sloane Guy, Executive Secretary Treasurer of Southern Baptist Hospitals, making the principal address.

Raymond T. Wilson, administrator of the hospital, will present diplomas to the class.

Included as a part of the program, is the march of the en-

tire student body in uniform.

The impressive ceremony climaxes a three-year period of intensive study and practice at Southern Baptist Hospital in New Orleans.

A new class of students will be admitted September 12. Applications are now being received for the September 1961 class.



GRADUATING FROM Mather School of Nursing, Southern Baptist Hospital, New Orleans, on September 9, are Miss Faye Lorena White, Peoria, Miss.; Miss Era Simmons, Long Beach, Miss.; Mrs. Margaret Rogers Regan, Escatawpa, Miss.; Mrs. Betty Morrison Lacy, Pascagoula, Miss.; Miss Trudy Kendrick, Sumrall, Miss.; Mrs. Dora Dunkley Harbin, Beaumont, Miss.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO CHURCH NOMINATING COMMITTEES

Dear Christian friends:

On your shoulders rests the tremendous responsibility of selecting all of the church leadership for next year. You are surely aware of the need of placing the strongest leadership of your church at the helm of the Training Union because of the dynamic potential in such a church membership training ministry.

High in any listing of obstacles to a properly functioning church ministry is that of untrained leadership.

During the week of October 10-14, the Training Union Department will offer those you are asking to take positions of leadership in Training Union an outstanding opportunity for training. In centrally located towns in four areas of the state we will conduct leadership conventions. Here is a schedule of these meetings:

October 10	Cleveland, Emanuel	October 13	Philadelphia, First
October 11	Tupelo, First	October 14	Hattiesburg, Temple

You may not recognize these names, but you can tell those you seek to enlist that these are the very best in Training Union conference leadership!

Frank Stubbs of First Baptist Church, Atlanta, General Officers; Miss Mary Anderson of the Training Union Department of Tennessee, Young People; Miss Robbie Blackwell of the Training Union Department of Virginia, Intermediate Leadership; C. W. Terrill, First Baptist Church, St. Joseph, Missouri, Junior Leadership.

Under the capable direction of Miss Evelyn George the Nursery, Beginner and Primary Leadership will be offered a program of instruction featuring Dr. Paul E. Cable of Mississippi College, Mrs. Maurice Williams of the Training Union Department of Alabama, Mrs. A. A. Greene and Mrs. Harold St. Geme, approved workers with our own Department.

We sincerely believe that if you will offer prospective new workers as you enlist them, and other workers as you re-enlist them, such an opportunity at the very beginning of their year's work, that you stand a good chance not only of securing their consent—but of having a better worker and a better worker longer.

Sincerely,

Kermit S. King
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The Sunday School Department is happy to join with the Training Union Department and the Church Music Department in a NEW joint Training-Planning meeting which will be held in EVERY association one night next week, September 12-16. Each meeting will involve a brief joint meeting after which the Associational Sunday School Officers will go to a separate room for a session led by a representative from our office who will have just spent seven hours of intense study and training at a meeting in Jackson.

The objectives of the Training-Planning Meetings are:

1. Progress toward perfecting the organization
2. Set goals
3. Plan the calendar
4. Present new materials
5. Instruct officers

It is important that ALL the Associational Sunday School officers attend the meeting help in the local association so that we shall be able to adequately plan the work for the new year.

New Tracts for Intermediate Workers

We now have copies of the two new tracts which take the place of a number of other leaflets. These new tracts are actually several leaflets stapled together so that they may be taken apart and the material given to the proper person.

1.—LEADING AN INTERMEDIATE SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

This tract gives information for all the officers of the department and due to the fact that it will be taken apart and given to the proper persons, you

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2.—IN ACTION FOR CHRIST

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Pictures Tell Story Of Mississippi Baptists' First Denominational Leadership Meeting



1. **Highlight**—One of the highlights of the Denominational Leadership meeting was the banquet held in Fellowship Hall of the host church.

2. **Speaker's Table**—Those at the speaker's table at the banquet, were from left: Rev. Jeff Brantley, Forest, toastmaster; Owen Cooper, Yazoo City, principal speaker; Mrs. W. G. Mize; W. G. Mize, retiring superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage; and M. F. Rayburn, Meridian, Convention president.

3. **Travel Guides**—Rev. J. L. Boyd Executive Secretary of the State Historical Commission, passes out several of the Commission's new Baptist State Travel Guides. From left: Rev. Sam Brown, Bruce, Convention Board member; Rev. Boyd; Dr. Joe Cothen, Jackson, Foundation Trustee, and Rev. W. L. Meadows, Quitman, president, Convention Board.

4. **Foundation**—Dr. Harry Lee Spencer, Executive Secretary of the Baptist Foundation, informally discusses the Leadership meeting with three of the Foundation's trustees. From left, they are: Roger Pryor, West Point; Dr. Spencer; Dr. Joe Cothen, Jackson; George Estes, Sr., Gulfport.

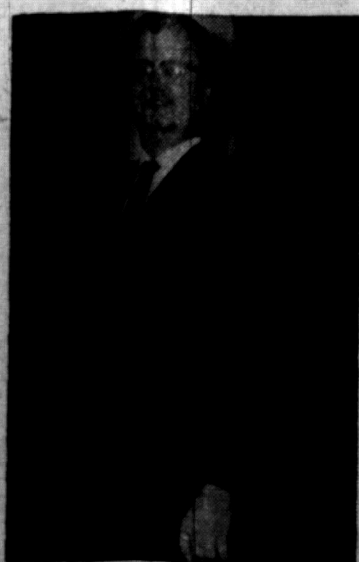
5. **For the World**—The State's mission program extends to all the world, as pointed out by these W. M. U. leaders. From left, they are Mrs. J. T. Lyons, McComb, state president; Miss Edwina Robinson, state Executive Secretary; Mrs. W. L. Carpenter, Pontotoc, vice-president of district five; and Mrs. Parker Lamb, Meridian, president of district three.

6. **Cooperative Program**—Rev. L. Gordon Sansing, State Associate Executive Secretary, shows latest Cooperative Program poster to Rev. Vernon May, Louisville, Hospital trustee, and Rev. Russell M. McIntire, Clinton (at right) chairman of the Board of Ministerial Education.

7. **At Intermission**—Between sessions three of those present enjoy one or two good stories. They are, from left: Rev. Lloyd A. Sparkman, Kosciusko, Blue Mountain trustee; Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, Jackson, Convention vice-president, and Dr. W. Douglas Hudgins, Jackson, Convention Board member.

8. **Toland Tells**—Drexel Toland, Administrative Assistant of Baptist Memorial Hospital, Memphis, tells two men about the hospital. They are, left to right: Mr. Toland, W. M. Cathey, Jackson, Orphanage trustee; and Rev. George Lassett, Laurel, Convention Board member.

9. **College Presidents**—The presidents of Mississippi Baptists' three senior colleges get together to discuss the program. From left, Dr. Wilfred Tyler, Blue Mountain College; Dr. J. Ralph Noonkester, William Carey College; and Dr. R. A. McLemore, Mississippi College.



DR. CHESTER L. QUARLES, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board, had an active part throughout the proceedings of the Denominational Leadership Meeting.

Gulfshore Campaign Gifts Total \$100,612.91



Howard H. Lett, Jr.

First Biloxi
Calls Educational
Director

Howard L. Lett, Jr. has joined the staff of the First Church of Biloxi as Educational Director. He assumed his duties August 15.

Lett is a graduate of Mississippi Southern College and a recent graduate of Southwestern Seminary. He has served in the United States Navy and has been Staff Announcer for radio stations WTBF of Troy, Alabama and WAML of Laurel. He is a former deacon of the First Baptist Church of Laurel and has had broad lay participation in church life.

He is married to the former Frances LaVerne Fox of Hattiesburg. Their two children are Raymond Lee, age six, and Wanda Cheryl, age three.

Dr. Joe H. Tuten is pastor.

Mather Blackbands
Junior Students

Junior students of Mather School of Nursing, Southern Baptist Hospital, New Orleans, La. formally become seniors in a blackbanding ceremony on the campus lawn September 9.

Among those receiving Black Bands from Mississippi are: Miss Fay Dollar, Ellisville; Miss Dorothy Hansel, Columbia; Miss Linda Vern Quint, Bay St. Louis; Miss Dawn Minyon Kickson, Picayune.

Traditionally, the junior class takes the responsibility of seniors, prior to graduation of the senior class which is held the same day.

The class will be presented caps with narrow black bands signifying the status of seniors. Presenting the bands will be Miss Evelyn Belknap, director of the school. Mrs. Shirley Morrison, education director, will present the senior challenge.

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Pilgrim's Rest	3.75
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Strepia	9.00
Shiloh	9.00
Vardaman	13.25
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Okolona	100.00
Van Vleet	8.00
Woodland	25.00
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New Montpelier	22.22
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Siloam	121.50
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TOTAL	\$1082.97

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Crystal Springs, First	454.25
Gallman	1.50
Georgetown	1.50
Hattiesburg, First	143.75
Smyrna	30.00
Strong Hope	42.82
Wesson	91.40
TOTAL	\$777.22

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Cold Springs	60.00
Collins	200.00
Leif	27.17
Mt. Olive	67.50
Salem	44.50
Seminary	26.00
Union Sr.	10.00
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Nesbit	26.00
TOTAL	\$133.32

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Meadeville	600.00
McCall	7.55
Roxie	57.00
TOTAL	\$775.72

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Greenville	11.92
Lucedale, First	265.79
Rocky Creek	92.15
TOTAL	\$403.36

GREENE ASSOCIATION	
Avera	5.32
Fellowship	35.00
Leaf	10.00
McLain	26.00
McLain Hill	13.90
East Salem	12.01
Sand Hill	35.00
TOTAL	\$133.33

GRENADA ASSOCIATION	
Emmanuel	43.50
Gore Springs	64.92
Hardy	123.14
TOTAL	\$1335.06

GULF COAST ASSOCIATION	
Bay St. Louis	64.35
Beach Boulevard	51.25
Big Lake	7.15
Biloxi, First	347.05
D'Arville	16.25
DeLisle Chapel	18.00
East Howard	30.00
Emmanuel	78.00
Gulport, Broadmoor	115.20
First	2279.08
Grace Memorial	126.65
Gulf Gardens	42.47
Gulport Heights	18.00
Handboro	94.48
Lizana	50.00
Long Beach	71.05
Lyman	8.50
Mississippi City	51.65
New Hope	84.50
Pass Christian	100.00
Perkins	10.00
Riverdale	10.00
Saunder Mission	1.70
Sharon	21.00
Shiloh Memorial	17.25
Success	25.85
Trinity	17.25
TOTAL	\$844.93

HINDS ASSOCIATION	
Byram	12.00
Clinton	333.92
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Jackson, Alta Woods	82.75
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Colonial Heights	50.00
Crestwood	102.64
First	17,521.00
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Learned	55.25
Midway	55.25
Morrison Heights	137.00
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Oregon	15.00
Pickens	50.00
Tchula	26.35
TOTAL	\$495.76

HUMPHREYS ASSOCIATION	
Belmont, First	246.70
Second	58.00
Isola	50.00
TOTAL	\$354.70

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Fulton, First	54.10
Trinity	29.60
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Larue	10.00
East Moss Point	52.60
Moss Point, First	17.00
Ocean Springs	58.00
Orange Grove	12.10
Pascagoula, Calvary	305.00
First	198.50
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Riverside	20.00
VanCleave	31.60
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Decatur	15.00
Heidelberg	314.51
Louin	22.00
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Moss	50.00
New Concord	3.00
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Shelton	25.00
Soco	50.00
Sumnerland	28.15
Wildwood	161.00
TOTAL	\$2372.27

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Bay Springs	32.00
Scottdale	200.00
Wahalak	7.00
TOTAL	\$239.00

LAFAYETTE ASSOCIATION	
Anchor	11.00
Bay Springs	50.00
Beas Creek	128.00
Harmontown	42.00
New Prospect	20.00
Oxford, First	438.78
Richford North	29.00
Philadelphia	16.50
Shiloh	17.00
West Union	13.00
Yellow Leaf	64.00
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Shiloh	13.21
Calvary	50.50
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Southside	10.00
University	25.00
Mt. Vernon	1.85
Petal-Harvey	63.83
Providence	89.75
Wiggins	39.89
TOTAL	\$1720.31

LEE ASSOCIATION	
Camp Creek	84.00
Nettleton	25.35
Plantersville	43.21
Priceville	23.00
Satellite	68.00
Shannon, First	50.00
Tupelo, Calvary	3002.50
First	27.10
Harrisburg	287.02
Parkway	68.33
Verona	15.15
TOTAL	\$3728.68

LEFLORE ASSOCIATION	
Greenwood, Calvary	21.75
North	750.00
Ita Bena	231.85
Minter City	25.10
Morgan City	20.22
Riverside	62.00
Schlatter	29.50
TOTAL	\$1190.42

LINCOLN ASSOCIATION	
Bogue Chitto	25.18
Brookhaven, Central	22.00
First	1923.73
Clear Branch	25.00
Easthaven	110.75
Friendship	20.00
Gum Grove	54.05
Heucks Retreat	100.00
Little Bahala	22.00
Moaks Creek	68.00
Mt. Moriah	44.25
Mt. Pleasant	9.90
New Prospect	50.00
New Right	53.00
Philadelpia	15.25
Pleasant Grove	40.25
Pleasant Hill	100.00
Ruth	27.00
Shad Grove	87.00
Southway	45.25
Union Hall	50.00
TOTAL	\$2891.61

LOWNESS ASSOCIATION	
Columbus, Calvary	25.00
East End	85.15
First	200.00
TOTAL	\$310.15

MADISON ASSOCIATION	
Ridgeland	22.90
TOTAL	\$22.90

MARION ASSOCIATION	
Calvary	53.00
Calvary	69.00
Cedar Grove	18.00
Clear Creek	9.23
Columbia, East	27.50
First	1000.00
North	55.00
South	30.00

Off The Record

The little girl was entertaining visitors until her mother was ready. One of the ladies remarked to the other with a significant look, "Not very p-r-e-t-y," spelling out the word.

"No," answered the child, "but awful s-m-a-r-t."

Diner: This coffee tastes like mud.

Walter: It should. After all, it was ground only this morning.

Father: Isn't there anything that you can do better than anyone else?

Son: Yes, Dad—read my own handwriting.

"Mr. Brown, these are very small oysters you are selling me."

"Yes sir."

"They don't appear to be very fresh either."

"Then it's lucky they are small, ain't it?"

Jack: What is a good definition of skiing?

Joan: A winter sport that people learn in several sittings.

First Dog: I feel so poorly lately—tired all the time.

Second Dog: Have you thought of going to a psychiatrist?

First Dog: I should say not! I am not allowed on couches.

He could not have been over four as he stood in front of the lost-and-found desk. He hardly reached the top, and there were traces of hastily-wiped tears on his chubby face as he inquired in a quavering voice, "Has any mothers been turned in this morning?"

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Sunday Reports

Sunday School Attendance Training Union Attendance Additions To The Church

SEPTEMBER 4, 1960		
Aberdeen, First	483	155 3
Main	407	
Mission	502	
Amory	76	46 2
Artesia	37	
Bethel (Rankin)	106	87
Bethlehem (Jones)	236	130
Biloxi, Immanuel	336	117 2
Boonville	334	133 5
Brookhaven, Pearl-		
haven	148	74
Bruce, First	260	124
Byram	235	133 6
Clinton, Morrison Hgts	122	86
Canton, First	392	154
Clarksdale, Oakhurst	617	166 20
Cleveland, First	370	78 3
Cleveland, Immanuel	246	85
Crystal Springs, First	401	174
Greenwood, North	397	122 1
Guilford, First	352	274 12
Guilford, Grace Meigs	339	111 6
Hattiesburg, 28th Ave.	243	175
Hattiesburg, University	71	51
Hattiesburg, Main St.	865	388
Main	803	336
North Main	34	21
Wayside	26	31
Houston, First		3
Jackson:		
Alta	672	297 6
Southside	207	114
Crestwood	342	138 11
Raymond Road	58	70
First	142	57 2
Highland	205	100 8
Oak Forest	341	116 3
McDowell Road	235	137 1
Kosciusko, First	743	211 2
Main	652	
South Kosci. Mission	91	
Laurel:		
Wildwood	414	159 13
First	568	201
Magnolia St.	291	109 1
Long Lake	102	71
Longview	171	82 1
Lyon	170	57 9
Roundaway Miss.	31	25 2
McComb, Locust St.	158	72
Meridian, Key Field	119	75 2
Morton, First	277	143 3
Moss Point, East	270	112
Mission	73	50
New Albany, First	662	195
Newtown, First	401	187
New Albany, Neely		
Memorial	98	62
Pascagoula, First	562	208
Pearl	127	67 4
Pelahatchie	197	97 1
Petal, Crestview	88	71 2
Picayune, First	587	133
Mission	31	
Pontotoc, First	438	182 1
Potts Camp, First	130	60
Ripley, First	401	173
Main	307	136
Mission	63	37
Rolling Fork, First	248	98
Stonewall	342	216
Tupelo, Harrisburg	632	218
Union, First	316	116 2
Mission	97	63
West Point:		
First	544	175 2
West End	251	178
AUGUST 28, 1960		
Calhoun City	342	152
Columbia	367	222 3
Petal, Crestview	113	70 2
Ripley, First	376	145
Main	327	117
Stonewall	49	28
Ruleville	265	109

EARLY CONGO RE-ENTRY IS HOPED FOR

MONTREAT, N. C. (RNS)—The annual World Mission Conference of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. (Southern) was told here that the denomination has "by no means given up the hope in the Congo."

Dr. C. Darby Fulton, executive secretary of the Church's Board of World Missions, said that despite clouded conditions under which personnel may return its Congo force is being held intact (in Rhodesia) and that the Board expects to "seize the first opportunity to re-enter the Kasai Province."

Church Holds First Coronation

A GA Coronation service was held at Mt. Olive Church, in Mississippi Association on July 31. The church was decorated carrying out the theme "Following the Star". The pastor, Rev. Howard McLemore, opened the program with prayer. The W.M.U. president, Mrs. Lovell Wroten, Jr. gave the welcoming address. Mrs. Howard McLemore, youth director, Mrs. L. T. Martin and Mrs. Jack Smith, counselors, then had charge of the program.

Pages, Layne Wallace and Larry Townsend, entered from the rear of the church and lit the candles on the altar. They then escorted the maidens, Mary Joyce Wroten, Clara Jean Wroten, Mary Lee Wroten, Betty Thornton, Nora Jean Davis, and Jane Spring.

The Ladies-in-Waiting were Janice Adams, Ann Carraway, and Jane Fleming. The Princesses were Peggy Gowdin and Brenda Thornton.

Queen Entered
The Queens entered with their crown-bearers and flower girls. They were crowned by Mrs. McLemore who charged them to keep Christ as King of their lives. The Queens were Sharon Ham, Diane Cothorn, Paulette Dillon, Peggy Thornton, Kay Nettles, and Marilyn Martin. The flower girls were Kay Spring, Pam Wroten, Regina Thornton, Debora Thornton, Kay Wallace, and Mary Lynne McLemore. The crown-bearers were Phillip Spring, Michael Wroten, James Whitington, Dalton Thornton, Michael Spring, and Billy Butler.

This is the first Coronation service ever held in the history of Mt. Olive church.



FRIENDSHIP, WEST Church in Tallahatchie County, Rev. Frank Childress, pastor, had an enrollment of 50 in their Vacation Bible School, with an average attendance of 42. The mission offering, given to the Cooperative Program, was \$10.00.

-THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Isaiah's Vision Of The Future

By Dr. L. Bracey Campbell
Scripture Texts: Isaiah 2:1-4; 9:2-7, 11:1-9.

INTRODUCTION: Isaiah's prophetic eye sweeps past, present, and future. The past has looked upon his people's sin, his today, his present, is water logged by his people's apathy — then he lifts his gaze to the horizon of the future and there beholds the glories that shall be, stretching away, one after another, in succession of ever-increasing splendor.

There was war and destruction yesterday, but the power of Assyria now lies impotent in the dust. "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light." (Isaiah 9:2). This chapter deals with the dawning of that light, with the beginning of the Messianic age, with the final triumph of the Prince of Peace and the institution of His reign.

Read Isaiah, Brother, Sister! He will help you see that this is our Father's world, that Our Father has the last word in any argument, that He wields authority over this world of political intrigue and power politics, above the crass materialism of this age.

It is hard to say which of all passages of Scripture is greater than another, but it is safe to say that this is easily among the greater ones; study it reverently, then — and with attention to the future; but do not, I beseech you, get lost in the ancient debate about the Messiah; it will prove profitless. The theme of this lesson is the coming peace, leaders, kings, and righteous rulers. To the earnest Christian, this all points back to the King of Kings, the per-

fect leader and ruler, the Christ, the Messiah.

I. WHENCE THE PRINCE OF PEACE SHALL COME. "There shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots" (Isaiah 11:1). Tread with caution here. It is easy to get lost in the brush of the multitude of interpretations. There are trees, as our long leaf, red-heart pines of South Mississippi, and the cedars of anywhere, being once cut down, send forth no shoots, but rot away. The house of David is represented here as being like such a tree as being cut down sends forth from its stump new branches one of which may become larger than the parent stem. Here Isaiah seems to say that the family of David, the House of the shepherd King, the dynasty of the royal King who was "a man after God's own heart" would bring forth One upon Whom the anointing Spirit of God would be poured to dedicate Him wholly to the service of the Almighty.

II. UPON WHOM THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD SHALL ABIDE. "The spirit of the Lord shall rest upon Him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord" (Isaiah 11:2). The pages of history bear with shamed fidelity the names of rulers of every variety of the incompetent and the inefficient. Thieves, scoundrels, villains of the deepest day; morons, men and women worthy only to be classed with "Crazy King George" III, of England, a multitude of misfits practically innumerable, bloody tyrants in sickening plenitude. Now turn to this prince, Son of David, Son of Mary, Son of God. No blemish in Him, no fault of character or conduct.

III. GOD'S RIGHTEOUS JUDGE. "With righteousness shall he judge" (Isaiah 11:4). With all these supernatural gifts, what need will he have of earthly counselor or adviser? He Himself is "Wonderful Counselor." "And righteousness shall be the girdle of His loins."

Zion Association

ion Association, Webster Zion Association, Webster Church on October 10 from 7 to 9 at night and with Hebron church from 9:00 a. m., to 2:30 p. m.

The time of these meetings was not made clear in the minutes of the association.

Rev. E. D. Richardson, Mathiston, is the Moderator.

TULSA, OKLA. — (BSSB)—The 1961 dates for Southern Baptist Leadership Conferences were announced by W. Hines Sims at the Western Church Music Clinic. They are: Ridgecrest, June 22-28; and Glorieta, July 13-19.

NASHVILLE, TENN. — (BSSB)—A catalog of Brotherhood and Royal Ambassador supplies has been released by the Sunday School Board here. Over 90,000 copies will be distributed. Copies of the catalog may be ordered (it's free) from the Baptist Book Stores.

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Walking With God

By Rev. Clyde Gordon, pastor, Raymond Church
Isaiah 57:15

Near Lakeland, Florida, there stands a beautiful tower in the midst of a veritable earthly paradise. It is known as the Bok Tower. It was erected by a wealthy man whose purpose is seen in the words inscribed thereon: "I came here to find myself. It is so easy to get lost in this world."



It is easy to "get lost" in this world unless one walks in close fellowship with God.

A Christian may have many needs but none so great as the daily companionship of The Lord. God knows the way through this world. There are many pitfalls in the way but God knows where each one is. His presence keeps our feet in the path that is safe.

The Holy Word of God tells us that one may have God's daily companionship. It tells us of Enoch who "walked with God." It does not say that God walked with Enoch but "Enoch walked with God." There is a difference.

Meaning.

What a high honor and privilege to walk with God. It gives meaning to every task, light for every hour of darkness, strength for every moment of weakness, a deep inward joy for every hour of sadness and makes every mile of life's journey purposeful and full of glorious meaning.

We need to realize that God is not ten thousand miles removed from our daily experiences, but is very near; so near that we may dwell within the shadow of His Presence.

A Light

Haskins wrote: and I said to the man who stood at the gate of life, "Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown," and he replied, "Go out into the darkness and put thine hand into the hand of God. That shall be to thee better than light and safer than a known way."

NEW ALBANY SPONSORS YOUTH WEEK

John Loma Dyess was Youth Pastor during Youth Week held recently at First Church, New Albany. The young people of the church were responsible for the worship services on Sundays, family night activities, prayer meeting, and youth fellowships on Sunday nights. Mr. Dyess will attend Delta State Teachers College this fall.

Dickie Smith was music director during Youth Week. He will enter Mississippi College this fall as a Music major.

George Van Edmond is Minister of Music and Education.

at the University of North Carolina. New assistant professor of speech will be Bob F. Leonard who received the BA from Catawba (N. C.) College and the MA from University of Arkansas.

Recreation Instructor

Wayne Moore, Minister of Recreation at Jackson Calvary Baptist will be a part-time instructor in recreation this year.

J. B. Howell, Jr., will be new librarian and James Harris Cauble will be dean of men. Howell is a graduate of Furman University and received the BA in library science from Emory University and MA from the University of Illinois. Cauble graduated from Carson-Newman College and received the MS degree this spring from Oklahoma State University.



MR. AND MRS. FORREST EASTHAM, members of Big Ridge Church, Biloxi, are pictured with the church's new organ, which will be installed during the week of September 20 in the new \$30,000 sanctuary of the church. Mr. Eastham, Chairman of Deacons and also Chairman of the Building Committee, assembled the organ from a kit produced by the Schober Organ Company. After building the organ, valued at more than \$3,000, Mr. and Mrs. Eastham presented it as a gift of love to the church. Mrs. Eastham is WMU President. The couple are both active in the total program of the church and the gift of the organ is one above their regular tithes and offerings.

MC NAMES 12 NEW FACULTY MEMBERS FOR NEW SESSION

The Mississippi College board of trustees has approved the appointment of 12 new faculty members according to President R. A. McLemore.

Charles E. Martin will resume his duties as assistant professor of foreign languages after a year of study at Tulane University.

Dr. Ben Hubbard joins the faculty as associate professor of secondary education, and Mrs. Retha Stone Baker will be an instructor in elementary education.

Two instructors joining the music department are Miss Eleanor Carlson and Gerald Claxton. A graduate of Oberlin Conservatory of Music and Indiana University, Miss Carlson has appeared in recitals in New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Indiana and Town Hall, New York City.

Claxton graduated from Howard College and received his MM from the University of Texas. Mrs. B. Kenna also will

be a part-time instructor in music.

Legg Assistant Professor

In the sciences John W. Legg will be assistant professor of chemistry and Louis Temple will be instructor in biological sciences. Legg graduated from Mississippi College in 1958 with the top scholastic average in the class.

Miss Jane Sullivan and William S. Thornton become instructors in business. Miss Sullivan received her BS and MS degrees from Mississippi Southern College and has done further study at the University of Indiana. Thornton received his BS and MA degrees at Mississippi Southern College where he had a teaching assistantship in the business department.

Miss Annibel Jenkins will be assistant professor of English. She holds the BA from Blue Mountain College, the MA from Baylor University and she has completed course a residence requirements for the Doctorate

Young People Highlighted At Pelahatchie

Pelahatchie Church observed Youth Week August 14-21. James Porch, recently licensed to preach by the church, served as Youth Week Pastor. Bill Huffman was Sunday School Superintendent, and Linda Fay King was Training Union Director. Highlighting the week was the Sweetheart Banquet on Thursday night and the filling of positions as teachers, leaders and officers on August 21 by Intermediates and Young People.

During the following week, August 22-24, 20 Juniors, Intermediates and leaders participated in the Youth Retreat at Roosevelt Park, Morton, with morning watch, Bible study, worship services and lakeside services used as the daily schedule. Eleven members from Leesburg Church, Morton, joined with Pelahatchie in the Youth Retreat.

A. J. Cooper is Training Union Director in the Pelahatchie Church.

If we have never told Jesus that we trust our souls to Him and want Him for our Saviour, then we'd better do it today. After that let's tell Him often. He loves to hear it, and it is good for us to renew our loyalty.

—The Christian Parent, Glen Ellyn Illinois.

tended Mississippi College for two years and received his B. A. degree from Baylor University. He earned the Bachelor of Divinity degree from Southern Seminary and the Master of Sacred Theology degree from Union Theological Seminary.

The church to which they are going is on the growing southeast edge of Winston-Salem. It has a congregation of four hundred and fifty members.

The Steens will leave for their new home about September 15. They have three children, John Warren, III; Dorothy Annell and Lucinda Lipham Steen, ages 6, 3, and 9 months, respectively.



Rev. John W. Steen

Steen Accepts Church In Winston-Salem

Rev. John Warren Steen, native of Jackson, has been called as pastor of the Oaklawn Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. His acceptance of this call concludes five years of service in Milledgeville, Georgia.

Mr. Steen went to Milledgeville in 1955 as pastor of the Northside Church. Since March of 1957, he has been Associate Minister and Director of Student work at the First Baptist Church.

On a visit to Jackson earlier this month, Mr. Steen preached in the Oak Forest Church and in the Briarwood Drive Mission. He has led revivals in Gulfport and Canton.

Mr. Steen served as president of the Washington Baptist Association Pastor's Conference. He directed two simultaneous revival crusades for the association. He also served on the Social Service Commission of the Georgia Baptist Convention.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Steen were graduated from Central High School, Jackson.

Mrs. Steen the former Dorothy Jean Lipham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lipham, Clinton Boulevard, Jackson. She received her B. S. degree from Millsaps College and her M. S. from the Medical College of Georgia.

Mr. Steen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Steen, Sr., Laurel Street, Jackson. He at-



"GOD SO LOVED" was the theme of the GA Coronation Service at the First Baptist Church, Ripley. Thirty-three girls participated. Two Queens Regent, Peggie Griffin and Sue Tapp; two Queens-with-a-Scepter, Edna Huskison and Sarah McGlamery; four Queens, Barbara Crouch, Ann Gaddis, Jane McCown, and Ann Renfrow; five Princesses, ten Ladies-in-Waiting, and ten Maidens. Mrs. R. C. McGlamery is WMU President, Mrs. T. N. Braddock is GA director, and Rev. Grant Clark is pastor.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONDUCT MEETING IN NEW YORK AREA

NEW YORK, N. Y., — (BP) — Southern Baptist expansion into the northeastern section of the United States was underscored August 29-30 when 221 representatives from 65 churches and missions in a ten-state area met at Manhattan Baptist Church in New York City for the northeastern regional fellowship.

"This was a surprisingly large attendance and representation. The work in these states is only six years old," Dr. Courts Redford of Atlanta, Ga., executive secretary of the Home Mission Board, said. "The highlight of the meeting was the report of area and pastoral missionaries."

One such report was made by pastoral missionary R. Z. Boroughs of Massena, N. Y., who said there were 22 towns with a population of up to 7,000 in the northwestern section of the

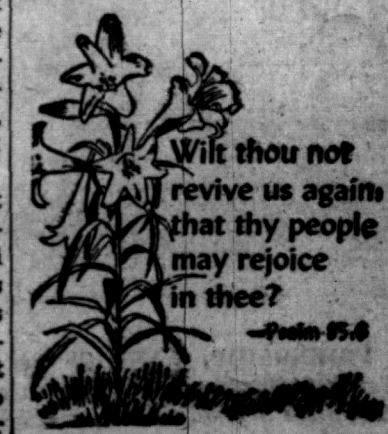
state without a Baptist witness. Boroughs led in the organizing of the first church of the entire ten-state area, at Niagara Falls, in 1954.

One to Every 40,000 Joseph Waltz of Pittsburgh, Pa., pastor-director of Southern Baptist work in Pittsburgh, reported only one Baptist church to every 40,000 people. Such was the report in area after area of the ten states, which include Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware.

The meeting, held to acquaint the membership of the churches in the area with the total program of Southern Baptists and to focus the denomination's attention on the area's opportunities, formed no permanent organization, but did vote to meet next year in September

at Syracuse, N. Y.

"We must not let our sense of mission ever die," Dr. Albert McClellan of Nashville, Tenn., program analyst for the denomination's executive committee, said. "This is the thing that binds Baptists together." He continued, "We must teach our laymen that the task is on their shoulders."



Wilt thou not revive us again that thy people may rejoice in thee?

—Psalm 135

THE WAY OF THE CROSS was the theme of the recent G. A. Coronation service at Second Church, Kosciusko, the first such service in the history of the church. Ethel Johnson, in back against cross, in above picture, was crowned Queen. There were six Ladies-in-Waiting, three Princesses; and eleven Maidens receiving recognition. Rev. James D. Watson is the pastor.



PLANS LAID BY HOME BOARD FOR CHURCH EXTENSION YEAR

RIDGECREST, N. C. — (BP) — Plans were unveiled by Dr. Courts Redford of Atlanta, executive secretary of the Home Mission Board meeting at Ridgecrest, for a big year of church extension in 1962.

Plans included (1) an appeal for funds for church sites, (2) new methods of providing for church loans, (3) the placing of 350 to 400 ministerial students on the field in the summer of 1961 to start missions that will become churches in 1962, (4) a request that hundreds of laymen use their summer vacations to hold revivals, take surveys, or build buildings.

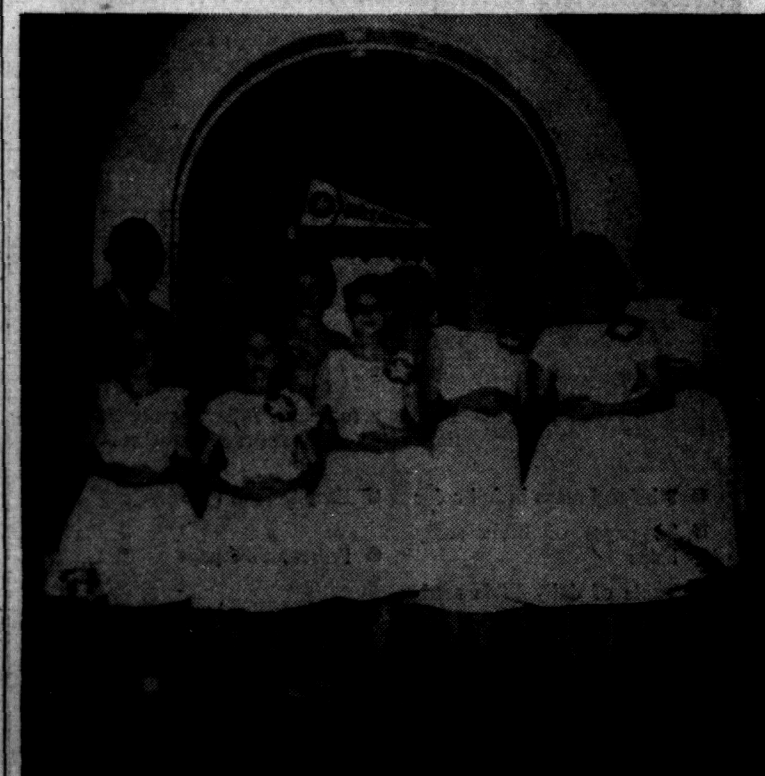
The emphasis follows the themes of the Baptist Jubilee Advance and the 30,000 movement. If plans materialize, Redford said it would be the biggest year of starting new churches Southern Baptists have ever seen.

These plans are all in addition to work presently done by

the board in starting new missions and churches. This year 525 summer missionaries and 181 tentmakers were placed on the field. The increase would send more than 800 summer missionaries out.

Commenting on the special call to laymen, Redford said this would not only "get a great job done, but it would sell missions to the laymen as few projects would and the results will be seen in their future support of such missions."

A Christian teacher in a Christian high school reported that he asked a class of freshmen from Christian homes, "How many of you have ever asked God to guide you to your life's work?" Not a single one raised his hand. Didn't their parents omit a vital angle in helping their children? — The Christian Parent, Glen Ellyn, Ill.



A G. A. PRESENTATION Service was held August 21 for the first time in the history of the Pleasant Ridge Church, Chickasaw Association. Four ladies-in-waiting and one princess received their awards. Mrs. J. Doyle Caples is G. A. Director; Mrs. Louise Dobbs is W. M. U. President; and Rev. J. Doyle Caples is pastor.